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PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 06556.0003-04

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
John POLK) Group Art Unit: 2716
Serial No.: Unassigned)) Examiner: E. Cosimano
Filed:	October 12, 2001))
For:	METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PAYMENT PROCESSING USING DEBIT-BASED ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER AND DISBURSEMENT PROCESSING USING ADDENDUM-BASED ELECTRONIC DATA INTERCHANGE	

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application as follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Please amend the title to read METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR CHILD

SUPPORT PAYMENT PROCESSING AND CHILD SUPPORT DISBURSEMENT

PROCESSING BY A PROCESSING ENTITY."

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